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PROF. PEARSON IN RICHMOND

SPEAKS ON BIRD STUDY IN THE ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS.

He Declares That it is One of the Most Valuable and Interesting of Studies—Let the Child be Taught to Love and Protect the Birds as His Best Friends.

Special to The Telegram.

Richmond, Va., Dec. 28.--Prof. T. Gilbert Pearson, of Guilford College, North Carolina, yesterday read a paper before the department of elementary education at the Southern Educational Meeting in this city, on "Bird Study in the Elementary Schools." The address was well received and has won high praise for its author. A synopsis follows:

Bird study is one of the most valuable and one of the most interesting branches of elementary science work. It is especially valuable because it is so necessary that the youth of our country be taught the inter-dependence of the bird world and the human world.

Birds serve mankind in many ways—as examples: First, as destroyers of rats and mice and other vermin; second, as scavengers on land and sea; third, as messengers, such as trained pigeons and sea birds and as game birds; fourth, as game birds, furnishing exercise and employment to thousands; fifth as food product, like the ptamigan of Russia; sixth, as a destroyer of insects, of which there are one hundred thousand kinds in the United States, the majority being destructive to the crops of the farmer and the fruit grower. Insects destroy one-tenth of the annual agricultral products of the United States, despite the birds. As consumers of seeds of baneful plants, the little tree-sparrow alone consumes annually one million, seven hundred thousand bushels of seeds of noxious weeds; as a force acting to cheer us by their presence and songs.

Man has abused the birds—for example, has exterminated the dodo, the great auk and Labrador duck, and is fast exterminating the wild pigeon, ivory-billed wood-pecker and the American egret.

As a result of the fashion of decorating ladies' bonnets with birds and bird feathers, our Atlantic coast has has been almost stripped bare of its sea birds, and our southern lakes of their white herons.

Other destructive causes in operation, are the small boy with the gun, the ameteur naturalist making large and unnecessary collections, and the bird egg craze among boys. These things have cooperated with the destructive forces set by nature to destroy our birds. Mr. William T. Hornaday has estimated that during the past fifteen years, Nebraska has lost one-tenth of her birds, South Carolina has lost thirty-two per cent. Mississippi, thirty-seven per cent; Georgia, sixty-five per cent. and Florida, seventy-seven per cent; an average of thirty states being forty per cent. North Carolina and some other states have about held their own.

Bird study is very interesting to children, because it deals with living creatures, and it takes the children from the school room into the woods and fields. It is also of continued interest because the birds are always with us. Our country is rich in the variety of bird-life; there are nearly eight hundred species in the United States. From figures I have recently gathered, it is plain the most of our Southern States are especially blessed in the large variety of bird life. West Virginia has two hundred and forty species and varieties; Georgia, two hundred and fifty-one; North Carolina, three hundred and twelve; Virginia, three hundred and fifteen; Florida, three hundred and fifty-seven.

METHODS OF STUDY.

First, teach the children in the school room, by talks and pictures and reading; then have them do systematic field-work. For example—let them take a bird nest census of the grounds, or an adjacent or accessible park. Watch and record all facts concerning the building of a bird nest and the caring for the young. Watch and record the first appearance of the well-known forms in the fall and spring migration. The teacher should keep careful record of all the observations. Let the aim of all bird study be to teach the child to love and protect the birds as his best friends.

MASONIC BANQUET LAST NIGHT

SIXTY-THREE COVERS SPREAD AT GRESHAM & CO'S.

After the Regular Installation of Officers the Members and Visitors Spent an Hour About the Festal Board.

Last night was a happy occasion with the Greensboro Masons. Beside the installation of officers they enjoyed a social occasion and banquet. The banquet was served by Gresham & Company at their place at the depot, and was enjoyed by some sixty-five of the brethren. The following officers were installed:

Greensboro Lodge No. 76, J. D. Glenn, W. M.; W. S. Buchanan, S. W.; A. E. B. Alford, J. W.; W. E. Coffin, Treasurer; W. T. Gayle, Secretary; John Thames, S. D.; J. E. Seagraves, J. D.; L. M. Clymer, S. S.; J. M. Bailey, J. S.; W. R. Butler, Tyler. Chorazin Chapter No. 13, N. L. Hall, H. P.; John Thames, King; Julian Price, Scribe; G. W. Whitsett, Treasurer; T. T. Gayle, Secretary; J. D. Glenn, C. H.; H. S. Buchanan, P. S.; C. A. Bray, R. A. C.; A. E. B. Alford, Third V.; T. J. T. Battle, Second V.; B. W. Best, First V.; W. R. Butler, Sentinel.

The members went to Gresham's in a body. Beside the members of the local lodge, a number of visiting Masons were present as guests. In all, there were sixty-three who sat at the board, more than filling two tables the length of the entire room. General James D. Glenn was master of ceremonies. He called upon Mr. Silas Dodson to ask a blessing, which the latter did in short and appropriate words. The supper sustained the well known reputation of Messrs. Gresham and Sanders. These gentlemen have made all their various places famous for a charming hospitality not usually found in public places of the kind, and it was in evidence last night as usual. After the feasting a little speech-making was indulged in. General Glenn first called on Judge Boyd, who set the example for short talks. There were no set speeches, and those made were crisp, and as suggested by the occasion, a large part of each being an acceptable excuse for no more elaborate ones. After Judge Boyd, Mr. Moses Cone was called upon. Mr. Cone made some very appropriate remarks, both concerning the growth of Greensboro and the great value of a vigorous Masonic Lodge to a community. After him Judge John Gray Bynum was called upon, followed by Messrs. Sam Brown, Z. V. Taylor, J. M. Wolfe and Prof. O. W. Carr. When Esquire Wolfe was called upon to speak, he said speaking was not in his line, but that he could sing.

In behalf of the Lodge General Glenn thanked the committee and especially Dr. W. A. Lash, its chairman, for preparing the entertainment, and to Messrs. Gresham and Sanders for so acceptably serving it.

The whole occasion was a very enjoyable one, and the Lodge is to be congratulated upon it.

Burglaries Last Night.

Last night the house of Mr. H. D. Knight, on Jackson street, was entered by a burglar who evidently was on the search for money. He first entered the store room in the basement, but took only a jar of pickled peaches. Then he went to the front and entered the parlor window. But before beginning work he opened the front door in order to have a clear way to escape. Mrs. Tunstall, Mr. Knight's daughter, who was sleeping down stairs, heard the man, but gave no alarm until he turned the knob of the door of her room, when she screamed. Her brother was up stairs and immediately ran down, but the the burglar had already made his escape through the front door which he had so carefully opened for that purpose.

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Mr. L. M. Clymer, who lives on Blandwood avenue, also suffered from nocturnal visitors last night. The only articles missed so far are an old hat and a pair of old gloves. Mr. Clymer thinks the night latch on his front door was not caught and that entrance was effected in that way.

The southbound fast mail last night passed Greensboro with no headlight.

M. AND M. RECEPTION TONIGHT

OTHER SOCIAL EVENTS OF A TWENTY-FOUR HOURS.

Prof. and Mrs. Brown Entertained the Euchre Club Last Night—Misses Bandy Receive in Honor of the G. F. C. Girls.

The boys of the Westend will give a party tonight at the residence of Mrs. F. L. Reid on West Market street complimentary to their girl friends.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McNairy will entertain a number of the Southside young folks tonight at their residence on Arlington street.

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Prof. and Mrs. Clarence R. Brown entertained the Euchre Club last night. In the altogether interesting contest of the evening Mrs. E. A. Holt won the ladies' prize and Mr. R. D. Douglas the gentlemen's. The guest of the evening were: Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Fry, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wetmore, Misses Wetmore, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Parker, Mr. Johnson, Mr. Huske, Mr. and Mrs. O. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Gayle, Mrs. Ballard, Miss Ballard, Mr. Wiley Ballard, Mrs. B. C. Sharpe, Mrs. Thos Bernard, Miss Bernard, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Devin, Mrs. E. A. Holt, Mrs. and Miss Uhle, Mrs C. Mebane, Miss Bert Mebane, Judge and Mrs. Boyd, Miss O'Brien, Messrs. S. A. and R. D. Douglas, Mr. McGill and Mr. Templer Horry.

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The Merchants and Manufacturers Association give their regular annual holiday reception this evening, beginning at half past nine and continuing till one. The following ladies will receive: Mrs. L. F. Woodruff, Mrs. C. Mebane, Mrs. L. W. Clarke, Mrs. Julian Price, Mrs. W. P. Beall and Mrs. E. A. Holt.

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Misses Clyde and Bessie Bandy gave a party last night complimentary to the young ladies remaining at Greensboro Female College through the Christmas holidays. A number of young people were present and enjoyed the hospitality of their charming hostesses.

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The card club meets this afternoon with Mrs. J. W. Liddad.

A Jewish Wedding.

Miss Sarah Morris, of Walnut Cove, and Mr. M. Shevel, of this city, were married last night at the residence of Mr. I. Isaacson, on South Elm street. Miss Morris has for some time made Greensboro her home. Mr. Shevel was a member of the firm of Goldstein and Shevel who for some time were engaged in the furniture business at the stand now occupied by Mr. N. J. McDuffie.

The ceremony was performed by Rabbi K. Heiley, of Durham, according to the rites and customs of the Jews.

Mr. and Mrs. Shevel took the noon train for Danville, amid a shower of rice.

The Glee Club Tonight.

The Brown University Glee Club arrived this morning, and will appear at the Academy of Music tonight. Their appearance is in the interest of the Spring Garden Chapel. From here they go to Durham, Raleigh and Wilmington. The entertainment will be unique, and should command a big house

SUICIDES IN ARMY.

Surgeon General Sternberg has prepared statistics making a comparison of cases of suicides and homicides which occurred in the army during the years of 1898 and 1899 compared with the ten years between 1888 and 1897. It shows that there were relatively fewer homicides during those two years than during the previous decade. The average number of suicides per year in an army of 27,116 for the ten years was 17. The ratio per thousand was .63 per cent. The strength of the army in 1898 is given at 147,795, the average number of suicides, 38, and the percentage per thousand, .26. The strength of the army in 1899 is given at 105,546, and the number of suicides at 30; ratio per thousand, .28 per cent.

During the ten years from 1888 to 1897 the homicides are given at 5.5 per cent., and the ratio per thousand, .20 per cent. For 1898 the number of homicides at 19, and the ratio per thousand, .13 per cent.; for 1899 the number of homicides at 23 and the ratio per thousand, .22 per cent.

CHINESE MAKE AN OBJECTION

WANT TO KEEP THE FORTS AND DON'T LIKE GUARDS.

They Think That Legation Guards Might be Dangerously Increased—Emperor Kwang Su Heard From.

By Wire to The Telegram.

Pekin, Dec. 27 —Li Hung Chang and Prince Ching, the Chinese peace commissioners, have heard from Emperor Kwang Su. Prince Ching called on the former for consultation, remaining over an hour. The court objects strenuously to reducing the forts, and also to allowing permanent legation guards, which it seems to think could be made sufficiently large at any time it was desired to menace the court itself. After the conference it was decided to hold further communication with the court before seeing the ministers.

The British have increased their garrison at Yang Tsun by 100 men, with horses and three guns. A flying column of 1,600 cavalry will scour the country between Tien-Tsin and Yang Tsun, in obedience to Field Marshal Von Waldersee's orders to be on the alert, in view of the French report of an engagement with 2,500 Chinese troops.

Col. Tullock's regiment will return to destroy the towns he recently held This action is owing to the fact that it has been discovered that a number of Boxers unquestionably made them their headquarters. The British authorities say they do not expect serious trouble from the Boxers, mainly because they lack arms. Fortunately, the Chinese government feared to trust them with arms, lest rebellion against the dynasty be undertaken. Otherwise the danger might have been serious. British soldiers have been found dead outside the Temple of Heaven with bullets in their heads. The murders are believed to have been committed by Chinese.

A detachment of the Sixth United States Cavalry, Ninth Infantry and Fifth Artillery will leave tomorrow to investigate the reported burning of native Christians by Boxers, as reported by Rev. Mr. Kelly, the Presbyterian missionary. The expedition will be commanded by Lieutenant Colonel Wint, of the Sixth Cavalry.

DEATH OF R. O. BURTON.

Died Unexpectedly in Rex Hospital Early Yesterday Morning.

News and Observer.

Mr. Robert Oswald Burton died at Rex Hospital about 2 o'clock Wednesday night. His death was a great surprise to the city, and a great shock to his friends, as it was not generally known that he was ill.

His death was caused by a severe congestive chill. During the last summer, he passed through a severe attack of fever, but recovered sufficiently to allow him to take charge of his professional duties. From his recovery until very recently he has been actively at work, and has engaged in very important litigation, appearing in several cases in the Supreme court and also as attorney for the defence in the Kilgo-Gattis trial at Oxford. But during a large portion of that time he has been unwell, and it is said that when he delivered his argument in the latter case he was in a high fever.

On last Monday he again went to Rex Hospital, and on Wednesday night hs died.

Mr. Burton is survived by his wife and five children—Virginia, Mary, Elizabeth, Charles and Ann.

Mr. Burton was the son of Rev. Robert O. Burton, a prominent Methodist minister of the North Carolina Conference, and was born near Poplar Branch, in Halifax county, on January 9th, 1852.

A Sudden Death.

Mrs. James H. Patterson died suddenly at one o'clock this morning at her home near the Finishing Mill, of heart trouble. She had been up with a sick child and died while sitting in her chair. The remains will be carried to Buffalo church for interment. Mrs. Patterson recently moved to Greensboro from Dakota, and has been running the boarding house at the mill. Deceased was a devout member of the Presbyterian Church.

The Brown University Glee Club arrived this morning and are stopping at the McAdoo.

PLAN TO SHELVE W. J. BRYAN.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE WANT TO KEEP HIM OUT IN 1904.

The Washington Post Says a Meeting of the Committee Will Take Place in January for this Purpose.

By Wire to The Telegram.

Washington, Dec. 28—The Post this morning prints a story that the executive committee of the Democratic national committee will probably meet in Washington in January to deliberate. The purpose of the gathering will be to shelve Bryan as a possible candidate for the presidential nomination in 1904. Should the publicity which the meeting would give to the movement not to be desired, the work will be done through a mail correspondence between the members of the committee. Of the thirteen members, only three, Johnson, Walsh and Dahlman are favorable to Bryan's renomination. All the rest may accurately be set down as believing it unwise to again try to win victory with Bryan as standard bearer, even George Fred Williams having waivered in his devotion.

LORD ROBERTS AT PRETORIA

"No, Not Happy—Thankful," Said the Field Marshal When Questioned,

Winston Spencer Churchill in World's Work For January.

When we arrived before Pretoria, we found a position which eight thousand Boers could have held indefinitely and forts which would have demanded regular siege—a matter of months. And we had but five or six days' food in the wagons, and Christian de Wet was tearing up the vital railway behind us; cutting the air-pipe between the diver and the surface. But Bobs was right again. The Boers were bluffed. The heights where they attempted some resistance were seized. By nightfall our cavalry approached the capital. At noon the next day, mounted on an Arab horse, the gift of a prince of Inde, the Field Marshal, as he had promised, led the Guards into the Parliament Square.

The scene was a memorable one; the site was spacious and imposing. Within the quadrangle of high red sandstone buildings crowds of people had gathered, everywhere held back by thin brown lines of soldiers. Under the shadow of the old Dutch church, Lord Roberts, his generals, the great staff, and the foreign attaches, a fine cavalcade sat on their horses, while the victorious army defiled. For four hours the stream of khaki and steel—light glinting on muddy waters—flowed unceasingly. The sun blaze, refracted from the red houses, threw a golden glitter upon everything. The jaunty merry music of the marches, the bursts of cheering, the continuous pulsating concussions of the drums, and under all yet above all, the monotonous rhythm of marching feet produced a profound impression on the mind. And when the old flag flickered up to the top of the Parliament House, what with the memory of twenty years of shame and bitterness, "Remember Majuba, you dirty English," and the memory of thirty thousand good men and true scattered behind, dead, wounded or diseased along the track of invasion, even the dullest, heaviest souls were powerfully stirred, and all men felt this was an hour to live.

Some one—a staff officer—turned to Lord Roberts when all was over.

"You must be a happy man today, sir."

"No," replied the Field Marshal, with a momentary expression of intense wariness, "not happy—thankful."

And the officer remembered the grave in Natal which had swallowed up a father's hope and pride.

Taylor---Pritchett.

Mr. Seth Taylor, of this city, and Miss Una Pritchett, a student at the State Normal College, were married at Elon College yesterday by Rev. J. O. Atkinson. The coupie drove through the country yesterday morning to Elon College, were married and returned in the afternoon. Mr. Taylor is with the Harry-Belk Bros. Company. The bride is from the eastern part of the State.

SHOT AND KILLED HIS WIFE.

THEN FIRED A BULLET INTO HIS OWN BRAIN.

John Tinsley Married a Woman Whom He Had Deceived Regarding His Wealth and a Tragedy Ends the Life of Each.

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 27.—John W. Tinsley shot and killed his wife Anna P. Tinsley, on the street today, and then fired a bullet into his own head, dying instantly. The couple were married at Van Buren, Ark., on January 2, this year. Tinsley represented himself as possessed of property in Helena, Mont., to the value of $75,000. His wife had $400 cash and a house and lot in Jackson, Tenn., valued at $2,500. This latter her husband induced her to sacrifice for $1,800, and five days after marriage they came to Los Angeles on a honeymoon trip, the expenses of which were defrayed by Mrs. Tinsley. From here they went to Mineral Wells, Tex., and on August 23, reached Excelsior Springs, Mo. There Tinsley induced his wife to transfer to him the $700 that remained of her money, and told her he must go to Helena to settle up his affairs.

After his departure she found that he had also taken a diamond ring and stud valued at $400. She received a telegram from him later, dated Los Angeles, in which he acknowledged that he had deceived her in regard to his wealth and that she would see him no more. She followed him here, but in the meantime he had left for Monnet, Mo. Two weeks later he returned to Los Angeles, and an arrangement was made whereby he gave her a draft on an Arkansas bank for $32s, and promised to make other reparation. She sent the draft for collection and it was returned with the statement that the money to Tinsley's credit had been withdrawn by telegraph. On the 21st of this month Mrs. Tinsley filed suit against her husband in the Superior Court to recover $1,100 fraudulently obtained from her and bitterness over this suit and the troubles leading up to it evidently caused the double tragedy today.

A GRAND MASON SHOT.

Found in His Office Lying in a Pool of Blood—A Blonde Woman Said to Have Done the Deed.

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 27.—Wm. H. Smythe, secretary of the Grand Masonic Lodge of the State, was shot in the head in the Masonic building shortly after noon today. It is believed he cannot live. Mr. Smythe claims a woman did the shooting. The police have so far been unable to locate her.

Lewis A. Coleman, an attorney, found Mr. Smythe shortly after he was shot lying in a pool of blood on the floor. Mr. Coleman said he detected a smell of gunpowder the moment he stepped into the room. Mr. Coleman at once ran from the building and telephoned the police department.

When the police arrived the wounded man was in a semi-conscious condition, but was able to say that he was seated at his desk when a blonde woman entered his office and asked to use the telephone. He said she had been in several times before, and the last call he refused her request and that she then drew a revolver from the bosom of her dress and fired. This was all he would say, except that his son would give all the information desired.

Dr. Elmer Smythe, when told that his father had said he would give information as to the woman who did the shooting, replied that he did not know her. When a search for the woman failed to reveal any trace of her the theory was advanced that Smythe had attempted to take his own life. His sons said that while their father had been very despondent at times during the past year, they were unwilling to believe he had attempted his own life.

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RESOURCES:		LIABILITIES:	
Loans and Discounts	$308,202 34	Capital Stock	$100,000 00
Overdrafts (secured and uns'c'd)	1,801.20	Surplus and Profits, net	15,986.86
U S Bonds and Premiums	160,065.99	Circulation	100,000.00
Banking house, furn., and fixtures	8,000.00	Bills payable	55,000.00
Revenue Stamps	310.83	Deposits	270,864.29
Cash on hand and in banks	63,470.77		
Total	$541,851.13	Total	$541,851.13

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT:

Deposits June 29, 1899	$205,000.00	Deposits, June 29th, 1900	$270,864.29
Profits " "	5,400.00	Profits " "	15,986.86

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is where we stand in the lumber business. At the kicking spot, as it were, in regard to prices.

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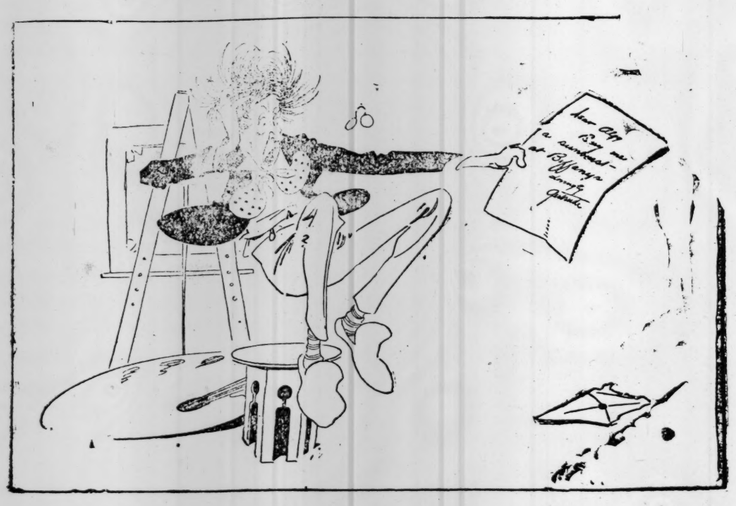
THE ARTIST'S DISAPPOINTMENT

1. Artist—I'll write and ask Gertrude what she wants for New Year's, tho' I'm sure she will say one of my paintings.

2. "Ah! a letter from her. Is it an oil or water color, I wonder?"



3. The letter read: "Dear Algy—Buy me a sunburst at Biffaney's."

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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 28

LOVE OF THE PEOPLE FOR PARKS.

It is said that when a visitor expressed his admiration of the hills of trees in the Arnold Arboretum in in Boston, a landscape artist replied "Not yet, not yet, come here a hundred years hence, and you will see the plan worked out. Then it will be beautiful." That might not be a very encouraging remark for one who himself wishes not only to see but enjoy a beautiful park, and fortunately both beauty and enjoyment may be attained in park building before that lapse of time. In fact, as we learn from an article in World's Work for January, the popular appreciation that has created the magnificent public parks of this country has been a development of the last half a century.

This fast growing interest began, says the article, "with individual owners of estates and extended gradually to the people. It was long an aristocratic art, but the democratic appreciation of it has opened up the possibilities of a complete development; and it now perhaps deserves to be called, in a sense that no other art does, the peculiarly democratic and American art. There is nothing in which our cities take more pride. Go to any city or town you will, and you will discover that the park plays an important part in the life and enjoyment of the people of all classes. It will be many a generation before the whole continental area will present a continuous succession of parks and gardens; but the impulse has already become so general as to warrant the expectation that the time will come when no other large area of the earth's surface will present such varied and beautiful aspects."

Any city or town that makes pretension of being a city has its park or parks, many of them very crude and insignificant affairs of course, and not such as we might expect to see a hundred years hence, but, nevertheless, amply sufficient to serve their purposes. The fondness of the people for them grows as the fast growth of the towns prevents the possibility of rest and recreation and a peep at nature except in the public park. As the tiers of brick walls increase and the stone pavements grow longer the necessity for parks becomes greater and the appreciation of them grows correspondingly.

There are fine opportunities here awaiting the wise men of the north of enterprise and judgment who know where to place their plants.—Wilmington Messenger.

It is noteworthy, and fitting, that those towns that wait for the wise men of the north to come down and plant enterprises that will give them great growth, with few exceptions, continue to wait, while neighboring towns whose people hustle and invest the money they have and get business to going are the ones who don't have any kick comiug after a census enumeration. The great industrial development of the South is wonderful, but more wonderful is it that the work has been and is being done by the South's own brain, muscle and capital.

Governor-elect Aycock and wife are in Raleigh, the guests of Governor Daniel L. Russell. Somehow that does not dove-tail with ante-election stump-speaking talk.—Asheville Citizen.

We North Carolina folk are learning very fast that about three-fourths of the stump speaking is buncombe and the other fraction politics.

Estill's Buzzard Story.

Richmond Times.

Col. J. H. Estill, editor of The Savannah News, tells a marvelous story of the flight of a buzzard from New York to Charleston in four hours. "There had been a lot of talk," said he, "about the time which would be required for one of these flyers to get home, and it was agreed one day to box up a fine looking specimen and ship it to New York. There was a great deal of interest in the test of speed, and the man who received the swift bird of the air was instructed to release it at a certain hour, and to telegraph the moment the buzzard sniffed the free air. The message came here that the bird, all properly marked for identification, had been released from its box, and watchers were stationed in Market street to time the moment of arrival. Various time allowances had been suggested by the interested crowd of watchers, and the prevailing idea was that the buzzard could not get back home for a day, if at all. But this is where the people were wrong, for, as I remember it, the buzzard poked its nose toward Charleston as soon as it was set free, and the trip to Charleston was made in four hours. The old bird appeared to be very much the worse for wear when it got in, but a record had been made, and all the pools made on the flying time were upset."

NEW DRESS ITEMS.

Some of the Pretty Things That Are Designed for Winter Wear.

The modish theater gown this winter is of light hued broadcloth, preferably pearl gray, in delicate blue or faint green. A charming costume is of pearl gray cloth with black embroidery. On the skirt are five or six deep scallops of the embroidery, which is done in buttonhole fashion, with raised knots scattered between the rows. The bodice is slightly bloused in front at the waistline, and a chemisette and collar of corn yellow velvet give a charming touch of color, says the New York Tribune.

An evening wrap of pale blue cloth has an accordion-plaited lining of white silk. Straps of the cloth interlace over a front of white accordioned chiffon, and embroidered gilt and black knots decorate the yoke. Sable tails fasten the high sable collar at the throat.

Another fascinating wrap is of white cloth "cut out" over white chiffon, which falls in billowy accordioned flounces below the cloth. Silver paillettes are scattered profusely over all.

The picturesque girl hails with delight the return of the velvet blouse, which certainly is one of the prettiest and most becoming of garments. One recently seen had a gold belt with superb matrix turquoise clasps, and an immense chinchilla collar and revers.

A short bolero of hunter's green velvet, with deep fitted ceinture of cloth of gold, covered with green velvet applique, is one of the latest modes. The full bishop sleeves are confined by wristbands of the gold and velvet applique, and storm collar and single large rever of chinchilla give the needed appearance of warmth.

Manicuring Baby's Nails.

If the mother would preserve the beautiful contour and texture of her baby's soft little hands she cannot begin too early to care for them. As it is, however, few girls ever own a manicure set until they are young women. By that time, as often as not, the hand is beyond reclaim. Baby's finger nails should be trimmed neatly and carefully from very birth. During the first year this will be sufficient, but from that time on the mother will give them a five-minutes' treatment at least once a week, says the Detroit Free Press. Any little detached cuticle about the base of the nails must be trimmed off from day to day with the tiniest and brightest manicure scissors obtainable, and the flesh about the nail pressed away from it with a soft, old piece of linen. In this way the tender, delicate flesh about the finger tips will become firm and hard, and the child will not suffer from that painful affliction known as hang nails. This, while commonly regarded as a most trivial thing, is nevertheless often the cause of much graver troubles, ending in nervous diseases and blood poisoning.

Baked Bean Soup.

To one quart baked beans add one quart water, two slices of onion and a stalk of celery. Simmer 30 minutes, then rub through a strainer and add one cupful of stewed tomatoes. Season with salt and pepper. Cream together two tablespoonfuls each of butter and flour and cook ten minutes after it is added to the soup.—N. Y. Post.

The Politician's View.

"Well, he ought to get the solid vote of the dairymen, anyway."

"Why?"

"He introduced that ordinance to reduce the water rates, you know."—Chicago Times-Herald.

Shortening the Time.

Friend—Doesn't the ride back and forth to the country every day seem long?

Mr. Suburb—Long? It's too short. When I take the train in the morning, I know I've got to pitch in and work like a horse the moment the train reaches the city. That makes the ride seem too short, doesn't it?

"I presume it does. But how about the ride back?"

"Well, I always remember after I start that I've forgotten something my wife wanted particularly, so that ride is always over too quick."—N. Y. Weekly.

Two Sides.

"Yes, sah," said Uncle 'Rastus, "I preached fo' dat cong'gation two yeahs, an' all I evah got f'm de membahs wuz $10. Ten dollahs, sah. Not a cent mo'."

"That was miserably poor pay," replied the listener.

"I don't know," repoined Uncle Rastus, scratching his head reflectively. "Did yo' evah heah me preach, boss?"—Chicago Tribune.

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RESOURCES:

Loans and discounts		$237,033.96
Overdrafts (secured and unsecured)		1,556.54
City property		26,424.42
Furniture and fixtures		4,054.86
Stocks and bonds		1,380.40
Demand loans	$ 7,956.07	
Cash on hand and in banks	61,251.16	69,207.23
		$339,657.41

LIABILITIES:

Capital stock	$ 25,000.00
Surplus Fund	45,000.00
Undivided Profits (net)	26,657.99
Bills payable and rediscounted	30,793.72
Caseier's Checks	130.54
Deposits	212,075.16
	$339,657.41

I, R. G. Vaughn, Treasurer of Southern Loan & Trust Co. do solemnly swear that the above report is true and correct to the best of my knowlege and belief.

State of North Carolina, County of Guilford.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this December 27th, 1900.

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AFTER-CHRISTMAS CLEARING : SALE : :

In view of our yearly inventory, it is our intention to greatly reduce stocks consisting of all Holiday Goods at actual cost, and some a great deal less than cost. The odds and ends and small lots and hurt goods that have no place in our regular stock must be sold, and we offer them at and below cost from now till the first of the year (for cash only).

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AMUSEMENTS.

Academy of Music, Dec. 28.—Brown University Glee Club.

At the Academy of Music, Dec. 29.—"My Daughter-in-Law."

Academy of Music, Jan. 1—Aiden Benedict in "Quo Vadis."

PERSONAL MENTION

Mr. F. P. McCorkle, of Morristown, Tenn., was in the city last night.

Mr. V. J. Parker spent yesterday in High Point.

Mr C. H. Ireland has returned from a visit to Orlando, Fla.

Mrs. Clarence Branson, of Durham, is visiting friends in the city.

Rev. V. T. Marsh, of Mt. Airy, is spending a few days in the city.

Rev. P. J. Carraway went to Winston this afternoon.

Prof. Henry Jerome Stockard, of Peace Institute, Raleigh, spent last night in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Carter returned last night from a visit to Atlanta and other Southern cities.

Mrs. Eleanor Kase returned to Lynchburg today after spending some time with relatives in the city.

Mr. T. Richardson returned today from Selma. He left his father-in-law, Dr. J. W. Vick, slightly improved.

Mr. J. C. Gardner, of Reidsville, spent the forenoon in the city with his son, Mr. Howard Gardner.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Stewart will leave this evening for Orlando, Fla., where the latter will spend several months for her health. Mrs. Stewart has been in feeble health since early last summer, when she had an attack of typhoid fever.

THE IDEAL BED-CHAMBER.

It Should Be as Large and Airy as Possible, and Not Over-furnished.

The importance of the sleeping and bathing arrangements of a house is not half appreciated, writes Maria Parloa, in Ladies' Home Journal, giving some suggestions as to furnishing the house. "Every bedroom should be provided with the essentials for healthful sleep and the daily sponge bath. As nearly as possible, the room should be kept free from anything that would tend to contaminate the air. It should be as large as one can afford, and the windows so arranged that they may be opened at the top and bottom. If possible the floor should be bare and the rugs so small that they can be taken outdoors with ease for cleaning and airing. Everything about the room should be washable. The bed should be light and fitted with strong casters, so that it may be readily moved; the springs ought to be firm and strong, and the mattress of a kind that will not allow the heaviest part of the body to sink, and so cause the sleeper to lie in a cramped position. My own preference is for a cheap hard mattress next the springs and a light one of hair on this, but any kind of a firm mattress is better than one that is too soft. Above all, do not overfurnish the bed-room."

A Different Matter.

Tom—I paid a visit to Miss Sweety's house yesterday, and found her old man at home.

Dick—Ha! What did the old bear do? Kick you out?

"Oh! no. He was very polite; asked me to call again."

"You don't mean it? Why, he never lets anyone call on his daughter."

"I wasn't calling on her. I was trying to collect a bill the old man owes the firm."—Philadelphia Press.

Young Burglar—These spoons ain't silver. They are the cheapest kind o' imitation.

Old Burglar—That's lucky.

"Lucky?"

"Yes. Take 'em along."

"What for?"

"The lady of the house will be afraid to set the detectives arter us, lest they should find them spoons an' describe 'em in th' papers."—N. Y. World.

Hard Work.

"Oh, we had the loveliest arrangement at our church society last week! Every woman contributed to the missionary cause five dollars, which she earned herself by hard work."

"How did you get yours?"

"From my husband."

"I shouldn't call that earning it yourself by hard work."

"You don't know my husband."—Baptist Commonwealth.

She Was an Immune.

"I should think your mother would punish you for that," said the neighbor's little girl to the one who had disobeyed.

"She can't," was the confident reply. "I've been sick and I'm not well enough to be spanked yet, and she can't keep me in the house because the doctor says I must have fresh air and exercise. Oh, I'm having a bully time."—Chicago Post.

MORE SUBMARINE BOATS.

Talk of the United States Navy Building Torpedo Boats of the Holland Type.

Shortly the board of naval construction will take up for consideration the subject of increasing the number of submarine torpedo boats. There is likely to be a division of opinion on the matter. It is said that Rear Admiral O'Neil, chief of ordnance, and Chief Constructor Hichborn are in favor of building more boats of that type, while Rear Admiral Melville, engineer in chief, and Chief of the Equipment Bureau Bradford are not disposed to favor the idea. Secretary Long will probably be guided largely by the advice of his experts in making recommendations to congress on the subject.

There are some flattering reports relating to the Holland, which is beginning to see practical service. The boat, naval officers say, has contributed a new and menacing element to naval operations and has presented new problems which must be met. Capt. Folger, commanding the Kearsarge, already anticipated this when he suggested a provision of light torpedo boats to guard against the invasion by submarine boats.

It has evidently become necessary, say the naval strategists, to add small picket boats to the cargo of a big ship in order to offset the effect of the submarine boat. The seven boats of the latter type now under contract will provide a liberal strength in this respect, but some of the naval officers believe we should continue the work. Others believe we should await the result of the trials of the boats now under contract and take advantage of any improvements which may be suggested.

YIELD HEAVY TAX.

Deaths of Many Millionaires in New York State Bring Gold Into the Treasury.

Returns of the death tax in New York to tate Controller Gillman show that 1900 was a "hoodoo" year for millionaires. To the state from New York county alone for inheritance taxes will be paid over $4,000,000. Already $3,260,000 has been collected. There was never such a profitable year since the transfer law went into effect. Every month has recorded the death of a millionaire, and the reports to Controller Gillman show a large number of estates valued form $300,000 to $8 0,000.

This has meant a rich harvest for referees, who have collected over $1,000,000 in fees from the state.

The passage of the New York millionaires means also a snug pickup for City Controller Coler. He will receive this year about $40,000 for his part of the death tax. He gets one per cent. of all collections and the state receives 2½ per cent. The controller's annual salary from the city is $10,000.

Here is the tax roll of the 12 months, returnable to Controller Gillman, from estates of millionaires:

Name.	Estate.	Tax.
Cornelius Vanderbilt...	$50,000,000	$500,000
Henry Smith.....	40,731,000	2,360,582
Collis P. Huntington....	45,000,000	600,000
Henrietta Martin.....	479,000	27,000
George M. Pullman.....	475,000	5,400
Henry M. Taber.....	407,000	4,600
Henry L. A. Herbert....	914,000	9,200
Joseph J. O'Donohue...	884,000	10,458
James Pyle.....	884,000	10,450
Herman Fleitman.....	511,000	5,100
Mrs. Flower Schley.....	800,000	9,000

ANGORA CAT KILLS A SNAKE.

Pounces Upon the Reptile and Finally Succeeds in Breaking Its Neck.

A large Anchora cat, belonging to Dr. J. Hammond Bradshaw, of Orange, N. J., killed a snake the other afternoon that measured five inches around the body and was three feet two and a half inches long. The combat was witnessed by Mrs. Margaret Haughwout, Dr. Bradshaw's sister-in-law. Mrs. Haughwout says that the cat crouched and sprang upon the snake, which was coiled in the roadway in front of Dr. Bradshaw's residence. The cat bit the snake in the back and jumped away before the snake could strike. At this point Mrs. Haughwout stepped in and picked the cat up, thinking it would be hurt. The cat resisted, and Mrs. Haughwout decided to let him go again. The cat then made another attack upon the serpent, which succeeded in coiling itself about its antagonist's neck. Tom was nearly strangled, but managed to seize the snake by the neck and succeeded in killing it in a few minutes. The snake was said to be of the variety known as the house adder.

"I am here, gentlemen," explained the pickpocket to his fellow-prisoners, "as a result of a moment of abstraction."

"And I," said the incendiary, "because of an unfortunate habit of making light of things."

"And I," chimed the forger, "on account of a simple desire to make a name for myself."

"And I," added the burglar, "through nothing but taking advantage of an opening which offered in a large mercantile establishment in town."—Tit-Bits.

WOUNDED

In the Christmas rush. Not seriously, but such as handkerchiefs, soiled in docoration and window drapery, towels, napkins, blankets, toys, dolls. Everything of this sort is now on the counters and marked at clearing prices.

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We are offering special bargains in dress goods, shoes, clothing, hats, etc., as we begin now to clean up our heavy goods, so watch out for bargains.

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Lady Anna's Warning

By Magdalen Rock.

"NO, NO, Ellis," Guy Durant said, hastily, "you shall not enter upon such a bargain blindfolded. Let me see," the speaker consulted a schedule for a moment. "Yes, there's a train to Helmsford at 2:30. If you are not otherwise engaged, we can journey by it to Durant Hall. You can view the park and the few acres surrounding it, examine the house, dine and sleep there. Then, if your are foolish enough, tempt me with your offer."

"Nonsense, Durant! I am perfectly satisfied to give you the money I say for your property," Kirby Ellis answered. He was a short, stoutly-built man, with keen black eyes and a square, determined jaw. Possibly there was Hebrew blood in his veins. At any rate, few men on the stock exchange were bolder in their speculations, and fewer still were as successful.

"But I am not satisfied to take it," his companion remarked, quietly. "To tell you the truth, you offer too much. Durant Hall is a dilapidated old structure, and I won't sell it to you except you see it."

The sepaker leaned back in his chair as he spoke. For two or three generations the Durants had been going steadily to the bad, and Guy Durant had been but little wiser than his immediate predecessors. Not that he was either a gambler or a spendthrift, but he possessed an easy-going, generous disposition, some artistic and expensive tastes, and no business instincts. He had married a pretty young English girl, who had died, leaving him with a baby two months old. The child he had placed under the care of her maternal aunt, and for many years he had led an aimless, pleasurable existence, in continental cities chiefly.

A few months previously he had taken up his residence in London, for the purpose of being near a physician in whom he had much dependence. He had been aware for some time that his heart was affected, and Dr. Chalmers had told him that his length of days could not be long, and for the first time he had begun to consider his child. No provision had been made for her, and Durant hall and its few hundred acres were heavily mortgaged. He had been not a little surprised when Kirby Ellis had offered him a fancy price for the remnant of his property. He had met that gentleman once or twice abroad, and had wondered why he was so anxious to cultivate him, once he settled in London.

"Well, what do you say?" Durant demanded, after a short silence.

"I suppose you must have your way," Ellis replied, rather shortly.

"All right then. I'll wire to the old housekeeper to expect us, and meet you at Paddington in half an hour," Durant said, rising.

Ellis nodded and the two men separated. Three hours later they were at Durant Hall, and its owner insisted on its would-be purchaser seeing the entire property he was so eager to possess. Evening had closed into night when at length they sat down to dinner in the large wainscoted library. It was the most comfortable room in the lower part of the mansion, and various portraits of dead and gone Durants hung upon its dark oaken walls. One of these seemed to have a special attraction for Ellis, and Guy Durant laughed as he noticed it.

"Everyone remarks that portrait," he said. "Shall I tell you Lady Anna's story?"

"I shall be glad to listen," the guest promised. "She is very beautiful," with another glance toward the picture.

"She was, if that represents her with any degree of correctness. It was painted long after Lady Anna had shared the common fate of humanity from an old miniature of her. Yes, she was beautiful."

The speaker paused to look at the delicately molded features, at the slender neck encircled by the enormous ruff that was the fashion of the time, at the fair hair swept high from the level brow.

"And the story?" Ellis said.

"Well, it seems that Lady Anna was a Catholic, though the Durants were then, as now, Protestants."

Guy Durant laughed cynically as he paused for a moment.

"They attended to worldly matters, if the story is true, more than to spiritual, and accepted Henry's Six Articles as readily as his son's Thirty-nine. But Lady Anna was different. Her husband, Piers Durant, was one of Elizabeth's courtiers, but this fact did not save his wife from being denounced as a Catholic, nor did his entreaties save her life when she was convicted of assisting a priest to escape. She was executed in the courtyard of the hall, and died as bravely as her coreligionists usually did."

"Is that all?" Ellis asked. The story had little interest for him.

"All, except the legend. It is said that her spirit is often seen."

"Oh!" Ellis laughed, mockingly. "You don't believe that?"

"I really don't know. I have never seen her ladyship myself, but it is an article of Durant faith that she often comes to warn her descendants against some danger or folly."

"Nonsense!"

"Very probably."

At length dinner was finished and the old servitor of the family who had been waiting on them withdrew.

"Well, Durant, I renew my offer," Ellis said, and he lifted his wine glass and held it between him and the light, as if he had quite as much interest in its contents as in the reply. There was a brief pause, which was broken by a startled exclamation from Durant, and Ellis turned slightly in his chair. From one corner of the library a woman had advanced and stood stock still, surveying them with a strange air. The expression of her face, the upturned hair, the wide, outstanding ruffle and stiff brocaded bodice were those that the pictured Lady Anna wore; and one white hand was raised as if in astonishment or warning.

While one might have counted a hundred the two men stared at the apparition, and then with a common impulse they turned their gaze to the picture on the opposite wall. When their eyes were again directed to the spot where the woman had stood she had gone.

"What does it mean? Who is she?" Ellis questioned by and by.

"I know no more than you," Durant replied, solemnly, and there was indeed no doubting his words.

"It must have been some one belonging to the house," Ellis reasoned.

Durant shook his head.

"There is no one in the house, so far as I know, but old Johnson and his wife, and besides she—it disappeared."

"It is very strange."

"So strange that our bargain is off. I will not sell the hall," Durant said, and Ellis looked his amazement.

"Not sell the hall!" he echoed, angrily.

"No."

"But you cannot believe that—"

"No matter, I will not sell," Durant interrupted.

"Don't be superstitious, Durant. You cannot be in earnest. I have taken a fancy to the place."

"I am sorry, but I will not sell."

"Look here, man. Will another five thousand not tempt you?"

"No, Ellis, I am not to be tempted. Please say no more."

"But you cannot attach any importance to the—the"—Ellis hesitated—"to what we fancied we saw?"

"I don't know." Durant answered, truthfully enough. "Perhaps we saw nothing. It may have been fancy in my case."

There was an uncomfortable pause.

"Will you take a hand at cards, Ellis, or go to bed?" the host asked at length.

Ellis yawned ostensibly.

"To bed, if you don't mind; and I trust none of your ancestors or ancestresses will pay me a visit."

"There is little danger of that," Durant laughed, "but you will find few modern comforts in your bedroom. I hope, however, Mrs. Johnson has seen to the airing of the sheets. Shall I show you the way?"

Durant led his guest to the room assigned to him, and early next morning both returned to London.

On the day following Guy Durant received two letters. One bore the postmark of the post town nearest Durant Hall, and the address was in his daughter's handwriting.

"Dear father," it ran, "I hope I did not startle you very much last night. One of Aunt Alice's servants has scarlet fever in a rather bad form, and she took advantage of a long-standing invitation of Mrs. Kingsley's—I was at school with Pauline Kingsley, you know—to send me to Kingsley Court. There is a short cut from it, as perhaps you know, to the hall. Pauline Kingsley is getting up some private theatricals, and she and I ran over to the hall last night in order to rummage through some old silks and things in mamma's room. You won't mind, I hope. We passed through the house without seeing anyone, and Pauline insisted on dressing me up as a court lady of ancient days, and then she discovered a wonderful resemblance in me to Lady Anna's portrait. We ran down one of those old little staircases that the house is so full of and entered the library by a disused door that I found out when Aunt Alice and I once stayed at the hall. Guess my astonishment to find you and another gentleman at dinner. After a pause I hastened back by the way I came. Pauline never got in at all. We felt like a pair of very badly behaved children as we ran back to Kingsley Court. Poor Mrs. Johnson must have been very busy in the kitchen, for we never once saw her nor her husband."

Guy Durant laid down the letter when he had read so far and gave a characteristic laugh.

The explanation, however, was not pleasant reading.

"So Meg was the ghost that led me to refuse a very advantageous offer! Her masquerading has resulted in some mischief," he said, and finished reading the epistle.

In a few minutes he turned his attention to the second letter. It was from the Durant lawyers, and warned him against making a sudden disposal of his property.

"We have learned," Boscroft & Manners wrote, "that a large and rich vein of copper ore runs through your property. Our knowledge came to us by accident, as also the fact that Mr. Kirby Ellis is aware of the existence of the copper ore in your property. We trust you have not sold Durant Hall for any sum, however large seemingly."

Guy Durant did not laugh over the last letter, and it was some considerable time before he said:

"So there is something, after all is said and done, in 'Lady Anna's warning.'"—Catholic Fireside.

Oldest of Church Bell Towers.

The oldest church bell tower in America is now in good condition in Tacoma, Wash. When the first settlement was made on Commencement bay, Puget sound, a church was built, but there was no bell tower, so a big fir tree was selected. The bell was placed in the top of this tree, a ladder extending from the roof of the church to the improvised tower. The ivy-colored fir still stands, with the bell in its top. The fir, according to calculations, must have been a young tree when Columbus made his first voyage, and therefore it is the oldest bell tower in America.—N. Y. World.

Not an Expansionist.

He—Then there is no hope for me?

She—Not a hope.

He—But you admit that you love me.

She—You have said it.

He—Then why do you refuse to mary me?

She—Lack of confidence.

He—In me?

She—No; in my ability to support a husband properly.—Chicago Daily News.

For the Liver.

Stubb—What are you doing with these digestive tablets?

Penn—I am going to take them for the liver.

Stubb—Digestive tablets for the liver?

Penn—Yes; for the liver I get every morning. You know I am boarding now.—Chicago Daily News.

A Prisoner.

She took her kodak from her side
And critically she cast
Her eye on me, then (snap!) she cried:
"I've got you, sir, at last!"

"Unnecessary, dear," said I,
"This little pantomime.
Why, don't you know (I caught her eye)
You had me all the time?"
—Brooklyn Life.

CAME BY IT HONESTLY.

"I inherit my love for sleep."

"How so?"

"Father was a policeman once."—Kansas City Times.

Grateful.

"My dear," said Mr. Sirius Barker, "that box of cigars you bought me has resulted in great benefit. I want to thank you for them more earnestly than I did at first."

"Did you enjoy them?"

"No. But I'm better off. They made me realize what a terrible habit smoking can become."—Washington Star.

Proof of Affection.

"I have heard some doubts expressed as to whether you really loved your country."

"I don't see how anybody could express such a doubt," answered Senator Sorghum; "not after all the money I have spent on my country in elections at one time or another."—Washington Star.

Work Ahead.

Bunko Bill—Do you know that there are 76,000,000 people in this country?

Green Goods George—I do, and at least 75,000,000 of them are waiting to be fooled in some way. Come on, let's not stand talking here. — Chicago Times-Herald.

A Defeat.

"When my daughter got married we thought we would board with her and her husband."

"Well?"

"We got a late start, somehow, and they are boarding with us."—Chicago Record.

Not Acquainted.

Mrs. Madison—How do you like your new neighbors?

Mrs. Dyker—I don't know. I haven't tried to borrow anything yet. —Brooklyn Life.

One Man's Wisdom.

The Widow—Did you ever think seriously of matrimony?

The Bachelor—Well, I'm sure I never thought of it as a joke.—Chicago Daily News.

Notice of Incorporation

NORTH CAROLINA, Office Clerk
GUILFORD COUNTY } Superior Court.

Notice is hereby given of the filing of articles of incorporation of the Greensboro Broom Works; that the names of the incorporators are J. Wilson Shaw, Henrietta E. Shaw J. C. Meekins, Jr., J. E. Pool, and others as they may associate with them; that the principal place of business is in Greensboro, North Carolina, and its general purpose and business is the manufacture and sale of brooms, with powers and privileges to do and perform any and all acts in furtherance of the said broom business; that the duration of the corporation is thirty (30) years, the capital stock $5,000 divided into five (500) hundred shares of the par value of $10.00 each.

JNO. J. NELSON,
Clerk Superior Court

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LAND SALE.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a mortgage executed on the 13th day of April, 1898, by W. A. Hayes and wife Annie Hayes to Thomas Donnell and duly recroded in Book 110, on page 682 in office of Revister of Deeds of Guilford county, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, at the courthouse door, on

SATURDAY, THE 29TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1900

a certain lot ar parcel of land situate in Morehead township Guilford county, N. C., adjoining the lands of Bennett Hobbs and others, and bouded as follows:—Beginning at a stake in the public road, leading from Greensboro to Guilford Battle Ground-Bennett corner and running thence 88 degrees 5 minutes east, seventeen hundred and fifty-two (175) feet to Hobbs' line; thence south 10 degrees 54 minutes west foureen hundred and forty (1440) feet to Hobbs' s. w. corner; thence north 89 degrees 40 minutes west nine hundred and twenty three (923) feet to Brttie Ground Road; thence north 80 degrees 45 minutes west seven hundren and twenty-five 80.100 (725-80.100) feet to a stone in said road; thence north 26 degrees 22 minutes west nine hundred and twenty-two and 80.100 (922-50.100) feet to the point of beginning. Containing 40 acres more or less save and except 4 acres of land on the east side of the Battle Ground road, which was conveyed by J. M. Garrett to Calvin Mitchel by deed recorded in book 69 page 374, Register of Deeds office, Guilford county.

This the 27th day of November 1900.

THOS. B DONNELL, Mortgagee

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NORTH CAROLINA, Guilford County.

Mary H. Burks
vs
Chas. L. Burks } Notice by Publication

It appearing to the satisfaction of the court by an affidavit that a summons has been issued in favor of the above named defendant to obtain a decree for dissolving the bonds of matrimony now existing betweeen the said plaintiff and the said defendant, and it further appearing that the said defendant cannot, after due diligence, be found in the State of North Carolina,

It is now ordered that the defendant Charles L. Burks, take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of the county of Guilford to obtain a decree dissolving the bonds of matrimony existing between the said plaintiff and the said defendant and will further take notice that he is required to appear at the next term of the Superior Court held for Guilford county at the court house in Greensboro on the 18th day of February, 1901, then and there to answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded.

This the 29th day of November, 1900.

JNO J. NELSON,
Clerk Superior Court.

Administrator's Notice.

The undersigned having qualified before John J. Nelson, C. S. C., as administrator of the estate of Peter Gerringer, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said Gerringer estate to present them for payment to the undersigned or his attorney on or before the 28th day of November, 1901, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons owing said estate will make immediate payment.

Greensboro, N. C., Nov. 28. 1900.

C. P. FRAZIER,
Admir. of Peter Gerringer, dec'd.
JOHN A. BARRINGER, Attorney.

Annual Meeting.

The regular annual meeting of the the stock holders of the Greensboro National Bank, will be held on Wednesday, January 9, 1901. at the office of the bank.

A. H. Alderman,
tdm Cashier.

Notice to Stockholders.

The regular annual meeting of the Stockholders of the City National Bank of Greensboro, N. C., will be held at the banking house on Tuesday, January 8th, 1901, at 10 o'clock.

LEE H. BATTLE, Cashier.
Greensboro, Dec. 8, 1900. tdm

To the Deaf:

A rich lady cured of her Deafness and Noises in the Head, by Dr. Nicholson's Artificial Ear Drums, gave $10,000 to his institute, so that deaf people, unable to procure the Ear Drums may have them free. Address No. 1213-c, The Nicholson Institute, 780, Eighth Avenue, New York, U. S. A. s12-1y.

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Administrator's Notice.

The undersigned has this day qualified before John J. Nelson, C. S. C., as administrator of the estate of Noah E. Wyrick dec'd and all persons are hereby notified to present all claims against said estate to me or my attorney on or before the 24th day of November, 1901, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

Nov. 24, 1900.

ROBERT. L. WYRICK,
Adm, of N. E. Wyrick.
JOHN A. BARRINGER, Att'y. 11-26 6w

DEPARTURE OF TRAINS FROM GREENSBORO, N. C.

MAIN LINE—NORTHBOUND.

No. 34, Fast Mail	11.44 p. m.
" 36, Fast Mail	12.23 p. m.
" 38, Vestibule	10.47 p. m.
" 12, Passenger	9.55 p. m.
" 8, Local	7.58 a. m.

SOUTHBOUND

No. 33, Fast Mail	5.48 a. m.
" 35, Fast Mail	7.10 p. m.
" 37, Vestibule	7.05 a. m.
" 11, Passenger	7.35 a. m.
" 7, Local	6.40 p. m.

FOR RALEIGH.

No. 16, Passenger	12.25 p. m.
" 8, Passenger	7.58 a. m.
" 12, for Raleigh	12.01 a. m

FOR WINSTON-SALEM.

No. —, Daily ex. Sunday	12.35 p. m
" 105, Daily	8.25 a. m
" 109, Daily	7 20 p. m.

A. & Y. DIVISION.

For Wilmington	12.25 p. m.
" Mt. Airy	4.12 p. m.
" Ramseur	2.40 p. m.
Madison	9.35 a. m.

LOCATION OF FIRE ALARMS.

12 Intersection of North Greene and Gray Streets, near Farmers' Warehouse.
13 Corner West Market and Eugene Streets near Col Winstead's.
14 Corner West Market and Cedar Streets, near A. & Y. Railroad.
15 North West Corner Court House Square.
23 Corner Lindsay and Church Streets, near the Graded School.
24 Corner East Market and North Forbis Streets, near electric light station.
25 Corner East Market and Linton Streets, beyond railroad.
32 Corner South Elm and East Washington Streets, near McAdoo House.
34 East Washington Street, just east of railroad, near Mrs Owen's.
35 Intersection of Asheboro, Fayetteville and Gorrell Streets, Keogh's corner.
42 South Elm and Buchanan Streets, Clegg's corner
43 West Washington and Spring Streets, near A. T. Robinson's.
45 Walker Avenue and Mendenhall Street, Jeffries' corner.
52 Corner West Lee and Ashe Streets, near Glascock's foundry,
53 Corner Arlington and East Lee Streets, near St Andrew's church.
62 Corner Pearson and East Lee Streets.
63 Corner Asheboro and East Bragg Streets near Graded School.

Southern Railw'y

IN EFFECT OCT. 1, 1900.

This condensed schedule is published as information and is subject to change without notice to the public

Trains leave Greensboro, N. C.

5 45 a m—No 33 daily, Florida Express south for Charlotte, Columbia, Savannah, Augusta, Jacksonville and Tampa Pullman drawing room buffet sleeping cars and day coach.

7:05 a m—No. 37 daily. Washington & Southwestern Limited for Charlotte, Atlanta, Birmingham, Memphis, Montgomery, Mobile, New Orleans and all points south. Through Pullman Sleeper New York to New Orleans; New York to Memphis: New York to Nashville; Pullman observation car New York to Macon; vestibuled coach Washington to Atlanta. Tourist sleeper Washington to San Francisco Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday without change. Dining Cars serve all meals

7:37 a m—No. 11, daily, for Charlotte, Atlanta and all points South. Connects at Salisbury for Asheville, Knoxville and Chattanooga

7:55 a m—No. 8, daily, for Danville, Richmond Norfolk and local stations.

7:55 a m—No. 8, daily, for Raleigh, Goldsboro and local points. Connects at Selma with train for Wilson, Rocky Weldon and local points: at Goldsboro for Norfolk, Newbern and Morehead City.

8:25 a m—No. 105 for Winston, Wilkesboro and local points. Daily to Winston-Salem daily except Sunday to Wilkesboro.

9 35—No 46, daily except Sunday for Madison and local points.

12:23 p m—No. 36, daily. United States Fast Mail, for Washington, Richmond and all points North. Carries through Pullman Drawing Room Buffet Sleeper New Orleans to New York: Jacksonville to New York. Dining cars serve all meals.

No. 16 leaves Greensboro 12:25 p m daily for Raleigh, Goldsboro and local points

12 25 p m—No 52 for Sanford. Connects with A. C. L. for Fayettevillo and local points south.

12:35 p m—No. 107, daily except Sunday for Winston-Salem.

2:40 p m—No 47, daily except Sunday for Ramseur and local points.

4:12 p m—No 53 for Mt Airy and local stations

6:40 p m—No. —, daily, for Charlotte and local points; connects at Salisbury for Knoxville, Chattanooga. Pullman sleeper operated from Salisbury to Memphis

7:10 p m—No. 35 daily. United States Fast Mail for Charlotte, Atlanta, and all points South and Southwest. Connects at Charlotte for Columbia Augusta, Savannah, Jacksonville and local stations. Pullman Drawing Room Buffet Sleeper New York to New Orleans; New York to Jacksonville; Richmond to Birmingham; Charlotte to Augusta.

7:15 p m—No 109, daily for Winston-Salem

9:55 p m—No 12, daily for Reidsville, Danville, Richmond, and local points north.

10:47 p m—No. 88, daily. Washington & Southwestern Limited for Washington and all points North. Pullman Sleepers to Washington, Baltimore and New York.

11.44 p. m—No. 34 daily, Florida Express North, carries through Pullman cars Jacksonville to New York Charlotte to Richmond, Charlotte to Norfolk.

12:01 a. m—No. 12, daily, for Raleigh and local points. Pullman Sleeper operated from Greensboro to Raleigh.

First sections of all scheduled freight trains carry passengers between points at which they are scheduled to stop.

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For Our Lady Readers

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7810—Ladies' Night Gown with Round Yoke
32, 34, 36, 38, 40 and 42 inch bust.

LADIES' NIGHT GOWN WITH ROUND YOKE, NO. 7810.

This dainty gown of white nainsook is trimmed with insertion and Valenciennes lace. The prettily rounded yoke and ruffle of lace give the required breadth to the figure, which is very becoming and often lacking in gowns having square or pointed yokes.

It is fitted with shoulder and underarm seams, the fulness front and back being gathered near the centre of the yoke, leaving a plain and well fitting effect over the shoulders. The yoke of ready made tucking and insertion is finished with a ruffle of Valenciennes lace, headed by a fine beading, through which baby ribbon may be run to match that used in the bow at the neck. The high standing collar has a ruffle of Valenciennes softly gathered round the top, while the same trimming depends from the narrow cuffs on the half full sleeves.

This gown is cut full length, touching the floor, and is finished by a deep hem. It is fastened invisibly down the front with tiny pearl buttons.

A more durable garment may be made of cambric combined with Hamburg insertion and embroidery. This model is also an exeellent one for flannelette or figured French flannel. In this case the yoke can be made of series of tucks and bands of ribbon, with ribbon ruffles to replace those of lace.

To make this gown in the medium size will require five and one-half yards of material thirty-six inches wide. The pattern No. 7810, is cut in sizes for a 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, and 42-inch bust measure.

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Victims to stomach, liver and kidney troubles as well as women, and all feel the results in loss of appetite, poi sons in the blood, backache, nervousness, headache and tired, listless, rundown feeling. But there's no need to feel like that. Listen to J. W. Gardner, Idaville, Ind. He says: "Electric Bitters are just the thing for a man when he is all run down, and don't care whether he lives or dies. It did more to give me new strength and appetite than anything I could take. I can now eat anything and have a new lease on life." Only 50 cents at C. E. Holton's drug store. Every bottle guaranteed.

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GOOD ADVICE.

The most miserable things in the world are those suffering from dyspepsia and liver complaint. More than seventy-five per cent. of the people in the United States are afflicted with these two diseases and their effects: such as sour stomach, sick headache, habitual costiveness, palpitation of the heart, heart-burn, waterbrash, gnawing and burning pains at the pit of the stomach, yellow skin, coated tongue and disagreeable taste in the mouth, coming up of food after eating, low spirits, etc. Go to your druggist and get a bottle of August Flower for 75 cents. Two doses will relieve you. Try it. Get Green's Prize Almanac.

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German Syrup is the special prescription of Dr. A. Boschee, a celebrated German physician, and is acknowledged to be one of the most fortunate discoveries in medicine. It quickly cures coughs, colds and all lung troubles of the severest nature, removing, as it does, the cause of the affection and leaving the parts in a strong and healthy condition. It is not an experimental medicine, but has stood the test of years, giving satisfaction in every case, which its rapidly increasing sale every season confirms. Two million bottles sold annually. Boschee's German Syrup was introduced in the United States in 1868, and is now sold in every town and village in the civilized world. Three doses will relieve any ordinary cough. Price 75 cts. Get Green's Prize Almanac.

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We will be closed Monday and Tuesday, 24th and 25th, so send in your bundles early or 'phone 176.

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Cold in head and sore throat cured by Kennott's Chocolates Laxative Quinine. As easy to take as candy. "Children cry for them."

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Cures Dandruff, Falling Hair, Brittle Hair and all Scalp Troubles, such as Itching, Eczema, Eruptions, etc Purely Vegetable, harmless and reliable.

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Digests what you eat.

It artificially digests the food and aids Nature in strengthening and reconstructing the exhausted digestive organs. It is the latest discovered digestant and tonic. No other preparation can approach it in efficiency. It instantly relieves and permanently cures Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Heartburn, Flatulence, Sour Stomach, Nausea, Sick Headache, Gastralgia Cramps and all other results of imperfect digestion.

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The Exclusive Furniture Dealer, wishes to thank his patrons for their liberality during the past year and asks for the continuance of the same.

Guilford College Butter

You all know what it is---First Class in every respect. A little overstocked this week and will sell Friday and Saturday at 25c a ponnd.

J. W. Scott & Company

N. B. Fresh lot of "Snow Drift" Flour just in.

W. L. Wharton & Co.

Having enjoyed a good Christmas trade for which we thank our customers, we remind you that we still have plenty to supply the demands of both dainty ane robust appetites.

Yours for the holidays,

W. L. Wharton & Co.

TO OUR MANY FRIENDS AND CUSTOMERS :

We Thank You for the very liberal patronage given us during the holidays. We will show our further appreciation by endeavoring to give you satisfactory service in the future,

MERRITT, BROWER AND COMPANY : : :

Notices of New Advertisements.

Wednesday was bright and balmy—Drs. Moore.

C. O. Forbis has a card of thanks in today's Telegram.

Paper novels two cents each—Southern News Company.

J. W. Scott & Company advertise Guilford College butter for Friday and Saturday at 25 cents a pound.

Elite Restaurant advertises fresh oysters on page eight today.

Deposit your money in the People's Savings Bank. Look for their new ad on page four.

Special attention is called to the statement of the condition of the Southern Loan and Trust Co. on page four of today's Telegram. Our readers will note with pleasure the substantial growth of this institution since its last statement.

IMPORTANT NOTICE.

The Annual meeting of the Endowment Rank, K. of P., will be held in Castle Hall Monday night, Dec. 31st at 7 o'clock, sharp. All members are requested to be present. Important business.

By order of the President.

G. H. ROYSTER,
Sec'y Section No. 702.
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All the Furs we have left going at cost.

Special prices on children's sets.

S. L. Gilmer & Company

Cure Cold in Head.

Kermott's Chocolates Laxative Quinine, easy to take and quick to cure cold in head and sore throat.

Fresh Oysters.

Have you heard that the best Oysters in Greensboro are to be had at

THE ELITE

THE WEATHER.

For North Carolina: Rain tonight colder in west portion, Saturday fair colder fresh south winds becoming northwest.

Highest temperature, in Greensboro, for past 24 hours, ending eight o'clock this morning, 51; lowest 34.

LOCAL ITEMS.

Mr. T. J. Copeland is moving into his new dwelling on West Washington Street.

Mr. Exom Buchanan died yesterday of typhoid fever at his home about five miles east of the city.

Mr. T. P. North, formerly of this city, but now of High Point, is critically ill, his condition being such that but little hope is entertained for his recovery.

Miss Florence Smith and Mr. William Dailey were married last night at the residence of Mr. Jno. Stack, on South Elm street. Miss Smith is from the southern part of the county. Mr. Dailey is a son of Mr. W. H. Dailey, of this city.

Some one reported that "something dead" was in a well on a vacant lot on East Lee Street this morning, and all kinds of stories were going. Police investigation found that a quantity of chicken bones, wrapped in a cloth, was in the well and causing the offensive smell.

MILLIONS GIVEN AWAY.

It is certainly gratifying to the public to know of one concern in the land who are not afraid to be generous to the needy and suffering. The proprietors of Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, have given away over ten million trial bottles of this great medicine, and have the satisfaction of knowing it has absolutely cured thousands of hopeless cases. Asthma, Bronchitis, Hoarseness and all diseases of the throat, chest and lungs are surely cured by it. Call on C. E. Holton, druggist, and get a trial bottle free, Regular size 50c and $1. Every bottle guaranteed, or prize returned.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers are dainty little pills, but they never fail to cleanse the liver, remove obstructions and invigorate the system. Howard Gardner.

IF you forgot to buy that Christmas present in time, we still have most all sizes in ladies' and gentlemens' house slippers to sell you. We shall close out fancy toilet slippers, red, blue, tan and pink at 50cts. a pair.

Thacker & Brockmann.

D. Bendheim & Sons

The Critical Days Are Here.

Another three days of spirited selling and Christmas chimes will ring out their glad tidings. Already we have enjoyed the greatest pre-holiday trade of our entire career, and we will finish up the last three days, with value offerings that plainly evidence our determination to excel the record of the past. They are among the most important of this season, bringing the holiday needs within closer reach than was ever possible before. The result of our determination to

Retire From Business in Greensboro.

A stock bought for CASH and selling for CASH demonstrate our perfect ability to undersell all competitors. Remember the entire stock must be closed out. Every article, every garment, every yard of goods will be underpriced.

☞Open evenings until Christmas. See The Record for partial list of bargains.

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Closing Out Sale.

Terms Strictly Cash.

RESOLUTIONS

Are now in order. Before you sign the document or decide fully we Want to make a few suggestions. Will let you hear from us in a few days. Hope you had a Happy Christmas.

Yours Truly,

J. M. Hendrix & Co.

UNDERWEAR!

Let the Cold Wave waft you to our place and clothe yourself in a suit of our

UNDERWEAR.

We have the largest assortment and the best values we have ever offered at the lowest prices; Ranging from 50c to $8.00 per suit. Where the majority buy, there you find the best values—such is the case here. A look through our stock will convince you.

Store open till 9 p. m., until Xmas.

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When in town for Catalogue and prices on Pianos Organs, Sewing Machines, Violins, Guitars, Banjos, Strings, Sheet Music, Needles, Oils, and Sewing Machine Supplies for all Machines. Nice lot just received for Holiday trade.

Pianos from $175 up; Organs from $35 up; New Machines $16 up. Goods shipped direct from factory to customer if desired. We sell on easy terms to suit one and all. Save agents' commissions and local dealers' profits. We challenge comparison, invite competition, and guarantee satisfaction.

☞All standard goods guaranteed from 10 t 20 years.

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Easily, Quickly, Permanently Restored. Sold with a Written Guarantee to cure Lost Vitality, Nervous Debility, Insomnia, Failing Memory, and all Wasting Diseases and all Weaknesses resulting from early or later excesses. $1 per box, 6 for $5. Mailed to any address on receipt of price. The Rust Medicine Co., St. Paul, Minn.

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Eight Room Dwelling on North Elm Street
Hot and Cold Water Baths, Etc. - - - -

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